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In re application of:

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METHOD FOR TREATING PRODUCTS BY
HIGH VOLTAGE PULSES

Conf. 7998

Group 1761

Examiner G. Yeung

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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March 5, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed October 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of this paper.